The largest library of the world is that of Paris. It contains upward of 2,000,000 printed books and 160,000 manuscripts.

The woman tennis champion of New Zealand has but one hand, and that is the left one, but she can serve a ball this is exceedingly difficult to return

There is only one \$10,000 govern ment greenback still in existence. It is owned by a Michigan farmer, and he refuses to let the government re-

The baobab trees of Senegambia are believed to be the oldest living trees on earth. Some scientists have pur the age of one of these trees at 6,000

The longest underground thorough fare in Great Britain is in Central Der byshire, where one can walk seven miles upon a road connecting several coal mines.

The League of Agricultural Associa tions of Poland has organized a cen tral bureau in Warsaw, which is to purchase all goods, machines and sup plies needed by these associations.

Upon the spot where the Grand Duke Sergius was killed was found a large sapphire that had been torn by the explosion out of the ring he was wearing. The flames of the bomb had turned the sapphire black,

Puget Sound and Columbia river sal mon are delicacies offered to the people of Paris, Berlin, Copenhagen and other European cities in a fresh state They are being successfully shipped in Nan Patterson Released From the cold storage from the plants of Puge Sound and the Columbia river direct to Copenhagen and other European ports

A troop of United States cavalry re cently lost itself in the jungles of Mir. danao (Philippines) and for 19 days men and officers subsisted on the flesh of monkeys. A sergeant of the troop who has returned to San Francisco, i authority for the statement that the men became accustomed to the food learned to like it in a measure and of Caesar Young, and upon the recsuffered no ill effects from its use.

In Great Britain there are 22.380 miles of track, and in the United leased upon her own recognizance States 203,132 miles. But in 1903 the without ball. British railroads transported nearly twice as many passengers as did the American railroads. In Great Britain son, accompanied by her devoted faththere were 235 collisions or derail or and her faithful attorneys, Levy and ments of trains, while in the United O'Reilly, left the court by the Frank-States the number was 10,643. In the street entrance, entered a carriage Great Britain only one passenger out of every 47,793,320 was killed. In the and was driven to the office of her at-United States the proportion was one torneys. to every 8.963,673.

sweets you can." Thus said George trowd of about two thousand persons Hackenschmidt, the "Russian Lion," which had gathered outside greeted her who is reputed to be the strongest with lusty cheers and applause. Miss man in the world. After delivering Patterson smiled appreciatively and this piece of advice Hackenschmidt turned a somersault, lifted with his hurried into the waiting carriage and open hands a man weighing 165 pounds was whisked away before the demonout of a chair as easily as an or stration could go any further. dinary person would lift an overcoat | juggled a 200-pound iron dumbbell and did a flip flap all in the space of less Patterson left New York for Washingthan five minutes.

From a schoolboys' game at its in ception baseball has developed into a AN ALLEGED JAP TRAITOR. national sport that costs the promoters of organized leagues \$3,000,000 season and furnishes entertainment for the residents of cities with an ag gregate population of 27,000,000. As every city, town, village and hamlet expended each season in the mainte-

China is essentially a land of home steads, for the sons, contrary to the and deprived of his rank in 1884 for algeneral rule in Western countries, at leged misconduct, and he has since ways live with their father. Some times as many as four generations will be found in one habitation and as many as 50 human beings. In order to accommodate the ever-increasing family additions are built on to the ret been decided. rear of the houses, and sometimes the bouses attain a length of 100 feet. The majority of the houses of China are, and he has been decorated by the embuilt around an open court and have no windows for admitting light in the outside walls.

Butter, fresh, sweet and in large quantities, will enter largely into the diet of tuberculosis patients at Summit Hill, Pa. The use of butter adopted by Scotch physicians in High land sanitariums has worked a most amazing number of cures even in adinsisted upon, the butter never being staff, having been medical director of more than three days old. Its use is nushed to an extreme that would be impossible in persons of normal health 1870, and, with his brother, William pieces as soon as the earth around was The system of a tuberculosis patient Penn Nixon, consolidated it with the removed, allowing the contents to go demands the hydro-carbon that is Cincinnati Times. The two brothers to waste. The contractor and owner found in milk products.

One of the strangest of modern industries is that carried on in the Jura district of France. It consists in tak ing the fur from live rabbits and weav. ing it into a textile fabric which makes the warmest kind of clothing material to the ground, a distance of 30 feet, The species of rabbits which furnish the material for the manufac turing process is the Angora, which pruised. has received the name of the silk rabbit. Every three months it sheds its fur, and several days before this takes place nature is anticipated by female hands, which remove the long silker works here, is dead at the age of 50, hairs by gentle friction.

Tartaric acid is a very important commercial product, which is deposited, in the crude form called argols, on the sides of barrels containing wine and in the lees. Of course, it comes originally from the grape, and is found in the refuse of the wineries and rasinseeding houses. It is produced to very limited extent in California, and doubt. less eastern wine-producing states, but it is said that much more than 90 per cent, of the acid consumed in this country is imported, either crude or re fined, from the great wine-producing countries of Europe,



Shade of the Departed Bear-Say, Fellows, You Really Might as Well Come Down

Tembs Without Bond.

The Former Floradora Girl Greeted With Cheers as She Left the

Court Building. New York, May 13.-Nan Patterson

In the court of general sessions. where she stood trial for the murder

ommendation of District Attorney Jerome, the former show girl was reimmediately afterward, Miss Patter-

"If you would be strong eat all the stepped from the court building a

Accompanied by her father. Miss ton to hasten to the bedside of her invalid mother.

Former Anval Officer Arrested In Connection With Charges Against Mons Bongouin and Strange.

Tokio, May 12.-Ex-Lleut, Iwasaki, in America has its ball team, it can formerly connected with the engineer readily be seen that the total amount department of the Japanese navy has been arrested in connection with the nance of the game in this country and charges which resulted in the arrest the number of people who patronize it of a A. E. Bougouin and his stepson, F. must be stupendous.

Strange, as spies of the Russian gov-

ernment. Iwasaki was dismissed from the nav been under police espionage

The preliminary investigation of the harges against Bougouin and Strange is now proceeding, but the dates for their arraignment and trial have not

Bougouin has for a long time heer held in high esteem by the Japanese

WELL-KNOWN EDITOR DEAD.

Dr. Oliver Woodson Nixon, Soldier and Newspaper Man, Died at Biloxi, Miss.

Biloxi, Miss., May 11.-Dr. Oliver Woodson Nixon, for many years associated with the Chicago Inter Ocean as literary editor, is dead here. Dr. vanced cases. Absolute freshness is Nixon was a member of Gen. Pope's the Evening Chronicle in Cincinnati in

Five Hurt in Bridge Collapse. Chillicothe, Mo., May 11.-The false work on the new bridge over Grand river collapsed, precipitating five men and one into the water. He swam out unhurt. Sam Lemon was seriously injured, and the other four were badly Buxton.

Big Marble Denier Dead Virginia, Ill., May 11:- John S. Mar-

prominent in secret society circles. Cotton and Corn Fields Ruined. Crockett, Tex., May 11.-The Trinity iver is out of its banks and flooding the bottoms, doing immense damage to cotton and corn fields, many of which have been rulned beyond hope of re-

temption. A number of cattle have

een drowned. Double Hanging in Pennsylvania, Bellefonte, Pa., May 11.-Ira Green and William Dillon were legally hanged here for the murder of Jerry Condo, a turnkey in the Center county

ON HER OWN RECOGNIZANCE ANGLO-JAPANESE ALLIANCE.

The Nichl Nichi, of Tokio, Says Ja pan Has a Right to Call Upon Grent Britain.

Tokio, May 11.-The Nichi Nichi, discussing French neutrality, says that Japan has a right a demand of Great Britain that she carry into practice the provisions of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. "French duplicity," the Nichi Nichi says, "affords the occasion,"

"Continuing the Nichi Nichi de clares that the assistance given Vice Admiral Rojestvensky is a clear breach of neutrality and a violation of a definite pledge given to Japan. The Nichi Nichi says further:

'Japan is justified in assuming that France is deliberately assisting Russia. France's position as Russia's ally is entitled to some sympathy, but after France gave a definite pledge nothing remains to exonerate France from the charge of duplicity.

'Japan never suspected that the French Republic would be guilty of double dealing. The prestige of France as a champion of civilization demands that she correct her attitude and exon-As the former Florodora girl erate herself of the charge of baseness." In conclusion the Nichi Nichi says: Let France either publicly range

herself on the side of Russia or manfully adhere to the principle of strict

LYNCH LAW IN MISSOURI.

Tom Witherspoon, a Negro, Hanged by a Mob in the Public Square of Belmont, Mo.

Belmont, Mo., May 13 .- Tom With erspoon recently discharged from the Missouri penitentiary, charged with naving forced Fred Hess, who lives three miles south of this place, under ain of death to his wife and child to come into town and secure \$600 and send it to him by a negro preacher, was caught by a mob from Belmont and Charleston, in the swamp around First lake brought to Belmon and hanged with a swing rope on the public square.

IS IT JUST A COINCIDENCE?

Prominent Packers Depart for En rope Just as the Grand Jucy Is Ready to Report.

Chicago. May 13 .- It is a remarkable coincidence that, as the federal grand fury is about to make final report, probably accompanied with a batch of indictments against the packers, J. Ogden Armour, Edward F. Swift and Morris should suddenly leave for Europe. Armour and Swift sailed Wednes day on the Oceanic. Morris is said to have taken the same boat. They were accompanied by their families.

WHO IS OWNER OF THE GOLD?

Contractor and Owner of Property Are Disputing the Ownership of the Gold.

Des Moines, Ia., May 11.-While removing the brick walls of an old cis-Fort Madison, Contractor tern at James J. Maley uncovered a package containing \$11,500 in gold coins, also the army of Missouri. He established two casks of wine, the wood of which was so badly decayed that they fell to loined, in 1878, in the purchase of the of the property are now disputing as from many quarters-money, bedding, to which shall have the money

Husband and Wife Murdered. Des Moines, Ia., May 13.-Chloro formed with her husband, Mrs. William Darby was deliberately shot and murdered by an unknown burglar who was rifling their home near Buxton. This is the third murder in a week in

Lightning Strikes an Ohio Man. Waverly, O., May 13.-Frank Westfall, 55, while sitting before an open tin, proprietor of extensive marble grate, was struck by a bolt of lightning and instantly killed. William Dixon He was a leading prohibitionist and and his mother were struck in a similar manner but will recover.

> Storm at Marlow, I. T. Oklahoma City, Okla., May 13.-A re ort reached here that a tornado visited Marlow, L. T., and killed about 20 persons, besides injuring many more and doing much property damage. A later report says that no person was killed or fatally hurt.

Four Killed in Texas Wreck. Waco, Tex., May 13.-In a wreck on the Cotton Belt railroad, between Texarkana and Waco, four persons are reported killed, including the fireman and engineer. The train was ditched.

A BASELESS RUMOR DENIED

French Representatives to Railway Goods-Planting Betarded.

Congress Were Not Dis leased. New York, May 13.-Bradstreet's They Rather Enjoyed the Free Disreckly review says: cussion of the Rate Question Between Taft and Fish.

Washington, May 15 .- Ambassador Jusserand of France, speaking on behalf of French delegates to the International Railway congress, expressed deep regret over a rumor that countrymen were displeased the intection of a discussion of the railroad rate question in the social functions attendant upon the congress. He has taken occasion to confer with all of the delegates from France and has learned that the discussion between Secretary Taft and Stuyvesant Fish, president of the Illinois Central railroad, evoked their keen interest. They were impressed particularly by the freedom with which questions of this character are discussed in America. "The delegates from France were enchanted with the reception received in this country and with everything Amerlean," said the ambassador. That was shown by the banquet given by the French delegates to their Amer ican colleagues. At that banquet M. Marnejouls, former minister of public works in France, and a personal friend of President Loubet, voiced the unqualified gratitude of the delegates to the Americans. The conclusion of his speech was:

"In order the better to show what sign of harmony may be found in this friendly international gathering, I I propose to our dear and venerated president, M. Loubet, and to the president of the United States, who continues so happily the traditions of his great predecessors, and of whom a French writer has justly said the presence of such a man at the head of such a people is gratifying to the the enemy. conscience of the world."

INVESTED WITH PALLIUM.

Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis Receives the Insignia of His Episcopal Office.

St. Louis, May 15 .- With all the pomp and circumstance of the Roman Catholic ritual, Most Rev. John J Glennon, archbishop of St. Louis, received the pallium, the insignia of his episcopal office, at the hands of His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, solemn service at the old cathedral, Sunday morning.



ARCHBISHOP JOHN J. GLENNON.

of the most distinguished gatherings of churchmen that has ever assembled in this city, including Archbishop Ireland, who preached the sermon: Archbishop Quigley of Chicago; Bishop Cotter of Winona, Minn.; Bishop Horstmann of Cleveland, O. Bishop Shanley of Fargo, N. D. Bishop Hennessy of Wichita, Kas.; Bishop Lillis of Leavenworth, Kas.; and Bishop Foley of Detroit, Mich., and a large number of the lesser

clergy. In the afternoon the cardinal and the prelates dined at the Southern hotel, while the laity of the city gave a reception to the cardinal and Archbishop Glennon in the evening at the Odeon

DEATH LIST KEEPS GROWING.

Four More of the Infored at Sayder. Okla., Have Died and Others Expected to.

Snyder Okla May 15 -Four more of the persons injured in Wednesday's tornado died Sunday-Miss Mize, Mr. Paulson, John McCart and Miss Buser-bringing the total number of known dead to 117. A number of persons are missing and several of the in-

jured are in a critical condition. Sightseers who came to town on the railroad made trouble for the guards and nurses Sunday. Much more welcome were 150 men who came from Hobart with tools and building material and gave their free service to putting partially wrecked houses into habitable condition. Relief is coming

clothing and food.

St. Louis, May 15 .- United States Senator W. J. Stone does not expect to begin his trip to the Philippines until July 8, the date set for the event by Secretary of War Taft. Senator Stone any cause that appeals to me as being is in better health than he has been for

several years. 'I now weigh 174

pounds, 25 pounds more than I did a

year ago," he said. "I did it by quit-

ting tobacco in every form, coffee and

stimulants, and drinking pure spring

How Senator Stone Gained Flesh.

water every chance that I could get Neuro Geta Resulte. Jefferson City, Mo., May 15 .- Aller Henderson, the negro who was to have been hanged at St. Charles, to-day, for the murder of Joe Buckner, another negro, whose body was incin erated to cover up the killing, has

been granted a respite until June 16. Farmer and Team Killed. Virginia, Ill., May 15.-William Perry, a farmer, aged 32, was killed by Springs. The same bolt killed the team he was driving.

COMMERCIAL CONDITIONS.

fered With the Movement of

Wholesale trade for fall delivery has been stimulated by good public and private reports as to winter wheat, but heavy rains and continuously cool weather have interfered with retail trade except in a few sections and unquestionably retarded corn and catton planting, which appears to be one to two weeks late. Spring wheat sending however has been finished and the increased acreage, helped by abundant moisture has had a good start. The iron trade displays increased quiet in the cruder forms with price conces sions offered. Buyers display a holdoff tendency. Finished trade reports are good, because of large orders prevously booked and owing to the receipts of additional good orders for rails and structural material. The building trades, as heretofore, offer an

and building materials generally. DISPERSED THE ENEMY.

immense outlet for lumber, hardware

Russian Attack Which Was Met Vigorously and Successfully by the Japanese.

Tokio, May 12 .- The following telegram from army headquarters in Manchuria is officially given out:

"On the morning of May 9 the enemy, consisting of two regiments of infauthy, five sotnias of cavalry and one battery of artillery, made an attack in the vicinity of Yingecheng from the ask you to join me in the toast which direction of Nanshanchengtsu, which is 15 miles east of Yingecheng.

"At two o'clock in the afternoon the enemy made a resolute attack. Under the cover of the artillery the infantry advanced to within 100 metres of our line, whereupon our garrison assumed the offensive, attacked and dispersed

"The enemy left 60 killed and 160 wounded on the field. Besides these, soldiers dressed in Chinese clothing carried away many killed and wounded. "The enemy's losses are estimated at

"Our casualties were one killed and 50 wounded.

RETURNED TO WASHINGTON.

President Roosevelt Back at the White House After His Holiday Trip of 6,006 Miles.

Washington, May 12.-President Roosevelt reached home Thursday at midnight from his western trip, which he regards as one of the most enjoyable journeys he has taken since he has been president. He traveled 6,006 miles and passed through 12 states and three territories-Maryland, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, Missourl, Kansas, Indian territory, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Colorado, Nebraska and Iowa. Every state and territory in the United States except Florida and Arkansas have been visited by Mr. Roosevelt since he became president, and it is his intention to accept the hospitality of these states before his term is finished. It is probable that he will make a tour of the south sometime before the convening of congress in the fall of this year.

TWO OTHERS HAVE DIED.

The Death List From the Wreck at South Harrisburg, Pa., Now Reaches Twenty-Two.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 13 .- Two more victims of the wreck of the tCleveland & Cincinnati express on the Pennsylvania railroad at South Harrisburg, died Friday, bringing the total number of victims to 22. Two others are in a critical condition. Sixteen of the dead have been identified. The bodies of the others are so horribly charred and burned that it is doubtful if they will ever be positively identified.

HE NURSED HIS REVENGE.

Trueman Mason Kills Dr. V. Davis at Wapella, Ill., and Thea Commits Suicide.

Bloomington, Ill., May 12.-Trueman Mason, aged 65, shot and mortally wounded Dr. V. Davis, at the post office in Wapella, Dewitt county. walked a short distance, pressed the revolver to his own breast and fired. death ensuing almost instantly. That shooting grew out of an assault on Davis by Mason six months ago.

To Prevent a Lynching. Clinton No. May 12 -- Dave Carroll. a negro, assaulted Mrs. McCoy, a widow, and her 18-year-old daughter at Osceola, fracturing the woman's head with a rock and choking the girl. A crowd formed around the Osceola fail to lynch Carroll and he was brought here for safekeeping. Mrs. McCoy may die.

Sam S. Shubert Dead. Harrisburg, Pa., May 13.-Sam S. Shubert the manager of the Princess. Lyric and Casino theaters in New York, died from the burns he received

in the Pennsylvania wreck. Will Continue to Give. New York, May 12 .- In conversation with a triend at Lakewood concerning the "tainted money' attacks upon

him, John D. Rockefeller said: "I shall

continue to give, in my own way, to

worthy or in need. Brakeman Killed By a Tramp. St. Louis, May 12 .- Joseph C. Matt, of 3458 Shenandoah avenue, a brakeman for the Illinois Central railroad,

died at Carbondale, Ill., from a bullet

wound inflicted by one of two tramps whom he had put off his train. Regulattion for Andrew Yates. Sacramento, Cal., May 12.-Gov. Pardee has issued a regulation on the governor of Illinois for the return to this state of Andrew Yates, wanted at San

Francisco on a charge of robbery. He

is confined in the house of correction

Winter Killed Wheat.

Chicago, May 12 .- Official announcement that nearly 1,500,000 acres of lightning, near his home at Bluff fall sown wheat had been winter killed imparted marked strength to the wheat market here.

Wenther Conditions Have Inter- SIX VICTIMS OF TRAIN WRECKERS

Santa Fe Passenger Train Wrecked Near Emporia, Kas.

SIX PERSONS WERE INJURED

Wreckers Removed the Train Spikes and Fish Plates of Two Rails-Fourth Attempt in Four Months.

Emporia, Kas., May 15 .- Santa Fe passenger train No. 17 was ditched by train wreckers a mile east of town at 2:30 Sunday morning. Six passengers were injured and two will probably die. The injured:

James Euger, 79 years old, of the soldiers' home at Leavenworth; fatally injured; right leg fractured in two places, head and hands cut and back injured.

J. O. Rice, Santa Fe car repairer, on way from Topeka hospital to Shawnee, Okla.; badly bruised; left ear partly torn off.

Nate Hendric's, Roswell, N. M., cattleman; back and hips sprained, long cut across forehead and scalp wounds; condition serious. J. L. Copper, Spickards, Mo., farmer; hands cut, elbow fractured.

E. A. Taylor, Kansas City, conductor; deep cuts on scalp, four teeth knocked out, contusion on right leg, both hands cut. F. A. Grover, fireman, Topeka;

thrown from cab and back and shoulders injured. This is the fourth attempt in the

attempts were made by piling ties on the track, and without serious results. This wreck was caused by removing the spikes and fish plates of two rails on the inside of the curve. The engine on No. 17 passed over the loose rails safely, but the mail car left the track and was dragged a hundred yards along the embankment before the train was stopped. The next five cars, two express and baggage cars, smoker and two day coaches, went into the ditch across the right of way fence and lodged in a zigzag line. The end of the baggage car went up in the air high enough to ground the telegraph wires. Two Pullman sleepers remained on the track. The passengers were asleep when the wreck occurred and became greatly excited. but soon formed a wrecking crew and went to the relief of the men in the overturned baggage car. A window was broken, and of the seven men in the car six were found injured. The wounded were carried into a nearby field, where a hospital was improvised An hour after the wreck a relief train arrived from Emporia, and the injured were taken to Emporia. A hundred workmen were put to work on the

track. There is no clew to the wreckers Three men were seen Saturday night near the Howard branch sectio house. Sunday morning a track wrench and clawbar were missing. and they were found in a pool of wa-

ter near the wreck. THE DEATH OF YOUNG CROKER

Everything Points to the Fact of His Being a Victim to His

Kansas City, Mo., May 15,-The police have completed their investigation of the visit of Herbert V. Croker, son of Richard Croker, the ex-Tammany leader, to an opium den and the north end saloons of this city which resulted in his death on a Santa Fe train near Newton, Kas. Friday morning, and unless the relatives of young Croker request it (which they will not) no further ac tion on the case will be taken by the local police. Charles Wilson, the negro porter at the Coates hotel, who accompanied Croker on his visit to the opium den and later put him on a train at the depot, has been released. Ah Lee and Ghee Kee, the Chinese proprietors of the opium den. are being held, and will be prosecuted in police court for conducting an il legal business. Richard Croker, Jr. passed through this city Sunday on his way to Newton to get the body of

his brother. FIERCE FIGHTING IN JOLO

Gen. Leonard Wood, in Personal Command, is Punishing the Outlaws Severely.

Manila, May 15 .- Fierce fighting the past two weeks on the island of Jolo, between troops under the personal command of Gen. Leonard Wood and an outlaw Moro chief named Pala. with 600 followers, has resulted in the killing of 300 Moros and the loss of seven killed and nineteen wounded by Gen. Wood's force. Pala and his in a swamp.

Poles May Acquire Land. St. Petersburg, May 15 .- Following the policy of trying to improve the condition of the Poles, Emperor Nicholas has sanctioned an important law, permitting them to purchase land in the kingdom of Poland. They were deprived of this right after the

Vesuvius More Active. Naples, May 15 .- The eruption of Mount Vesuvius is more active. There have been heavy explosions and the quantity of lava emited produces a magnificent spectacle at night.

insurrection of 1863.

Employment for Many Minera. Pittsburg, Pa., May 15.-Employ ment will be given to between six and eight thousand additional coal miners in the Pittsburg district to-day by the resumption of operations at many idle mines.

Money for Foreign Hissons Kansas City, Mo., May 15 .- Fourteen states and territories, represent ed at the annual gathering of the Southern Baptist convention, in sex sion in this city, contributed a total of \$354,000 for foreign missions.

WRECK ON THE BIG FOUR.

Two Men Killed and Six Severely Injured in the Wreck of Past Passenger Train No. 11.

Lafayette, Ind., May 16.-Two men were killed and six severely injured, Monday afternoon, in the wreck of the Big Four's fast passenger train No. 11, which crashed into an open switch at Otterbein, 15 miles west of this city, while running at the rate of 40 miles an hour. The mail and baggage cars were completely wrecked, and four passenger coaches were thrown from their trucks and dashed 100 feet ahead of the engine. The parlor car at the rear end of train did not leave the track. Almost every passenger was either cut by flying glass or bruised. Several narrowly escaped death.

The dead: Herbert G. Haller, engineer, Indian-

Hugh S. Robb, traveling salesman, Indianapolis.

The severely injured: W. P. Peacock, traveling salesman, indianapolis. Walter Freeman, passenger, Chicago.

Elmer Hockersmith, passenger, West-J. W. Egbert, mail clerk, Hamil-

ton O. Dayton Brown, mail clerk, Indianap-

Thomas O. Fowler, Lafayette. SAYS HE HAS A DUAL NATURE

An Alleged Assassin Pleads That He in a Dr. Jeckl and Mr. Hyde

in Real Life. Somerville, N. J., May 16.-George H. Wood, on trial for the murder of George Williams near Watchung, N. J., says he is a Dr. Jekyl and Mr.

Hyde in real life. He does not deny killing Williams. He says simply that he has a duel perlast four months to wreck passenger sonality-that, in his better form he trains in the same place. Previous knows nothing of his deeds when the

spell of evil is on him. Lawyers say his plea is unique in the history of criminology. It is to be advanced as soon as the jury is impaneled, in his attorney's opening statement. What evidence will be offered in its support the lawyers for

the defense decline as yet to say. Williams, a merchant at Watchung, started one day last winter to drave with a stranger to a farmhouse near town. A few nours after his departure he was found dead in his sleign, with a bullet in his brain. Wood was arrested and identified as the man who accompanied him from Watchung. At the time of his arrest he professed that for three days his mind had been a blank and that he had no idea what he had done.

TRIO OF FATAL ACCIDENTS.

Three Painters Lose Their Lives by Falls in Different Sections of St. Louis.

St. Leuis, May 16 .- Three painters working on different jobs in different sections of the city were willed Monday by falls while at work.

John Guenther, engaged in painting the residence at 1314 Pestalozzi street, was at work on a scaffold about 35 feet from the ground. He made a misstep, lost his balance, fell and was instantly killed. Richard Graysey, while painting the

rear of a house at 5619 Clemens ave-

nue, stood on a ladder swung about 20 feet from the ground. A rung of the ladder broke and Graysey fell, fracturing his skull. He died on the way to Clarence Rogers, 20 years old,

touched a live wire, stepped back and fell from a scaffold at 2605 Franklin avenue and was killed.

TWO SENSATIONAL SUICIDES. Logan County, Illinois, Loses Two Citizens by Suicide in

Bloomington, Ill., May 16.-Logan county had two sensational sufcides Monday afternoon. Charles Degarmo. aged 24, son of a prominent family, drowned himself in a pond at Atlanta because he had been rejected by the

daughter of a wealthy farmer. Steffan Matinsek, aged 50, despondent over domestic troubles, placed a double barreied shotgun against his breast. and while in a sitting position pulled both triggers. His heart was blown out of his body and he was horribly mangled. He lived in Lincoln.

PEN FOR EX-CONGRESSMAN.

Ex-Congressman L. P. Ohlinger Sent to the Ohio Penitentiary for Eight Years.

Cleveland, O., May 16 .- Ex-Congressman L. P. Ohlinger, ex-president of the closed Wooster (O.) national bank, pleaded guilty in the United States district court to the indictments charging him with having issued a draft when there were no funds in

the bank to meet it. Judge Tayler sentenced Ohlinger to remaining followers are surrounded eight years' imprisonment in the Ohio penitentiary.

> Says Wife Eloped With Negro. Guthrie, Okla., May 16.—Reuben Strain, of Osage City, Kas., has asked the authorities here to aid him in recovering his wife, whom, he says, eloped from this city with John Witt, a married negro. The negro's wife

has also asked for ald in locating her Double Murder and Snielde. Memphis, Tenn., May 16.-Tom Mc-Call an Illinois Central detective, shot and killed Hal Williams and Eva Ferguson and then committed suicide.

Jealousy caused the suicide. Judge Tracy Makes a Threat. St. Louis, May 16 .- Judge Tracy ays that if automobile "scorching" is not stopped he will impose the full penalty provided by law-\$500-upon the offenders, instead of the cus-

tomary \$25. A Youth's Nightmare

St. Louis, May 16.—Tellmeyer Stevens, aged 19, dreamed he was being pursued by a man with a knife, attempted to jump through the window of his bedroom. He was badly cut by glass.